Implementation of National Water Management Project

4349. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Water Management Project is being implemented with World Bank assistance since 1987;

(b) if so, the details of such assistance received during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) the main objectives of the project;

(d) the details of benefits from the project so far; and

(e) the States which are likely to be benefited therefrom?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Details of disbursement under this project during the last three years are as under:

Year	Disbursement (in million dollars)
1988-89 . . .	Nil
1989-90 . . .	6·050
1990-91 . . .	11·582

(c) The purpose of the project is to increase productivity and farm incomes in existing irrigation schemes through a more reliable, predictable irrigation service. To achieve these objectives, provision has been made for low cost infrastructural improvements designed to support an improved operational plan.

(d) Sixty eight Sub-projects taken up so far are currently under implementation. It is too early to assess the benefits. However, some sub-projects taken up in Tamil Nadu and Karnataka have already started showing encouraging results.

(e) To begin with, the programme was taken up in the states of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu. Subsequently, the States of Kerala, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh & Orissa have also been included under this programme. The Maharashtra Induction Training programme is also a component of this Project.

Flood Control Projects in Uttar Pradesh

4350. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the details including the estimated cost of each of the food control projects in Uttar Pradesh which are pending with the Union Government;

(b) the time by which those are likely to be cleared;

(c) the details of the ongoing flood control project in the State; and

(d) the benefits derived from those projects so far?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) Out of 24 flood management schemes costing Rs. 69.38 crores received for technical appraisal, 10 schemes costing Rs. 16.86 crores have been recommended to the Planning Commission for approval. Observation on others, except two received recently, have been sent for compliance to the State Government.

(b) The time of clearance depends mainly on the prompt submission of satisfactory replies to the observations by the State Government.

(c) and (d) At present 371 schemes with spill-over cost of about Rs. 194 crores, are ongoing for flood management in the State. The benefits derived so far from management schemes cover an area of 15 lakh hectares.

सिंचाई सुविधाओं वाले क्षेत्रों का विस्तार

4335. **श्री अजीत जोगी :**
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